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## EXAMINING GROUP 2834

PATENT 505-692P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Masaharu TSUBOI

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For:

MOTOR-ASSISTED DRIVE UNIT FOR MOTOR-

ASSISTED VEHICLE

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

November 21, 2002

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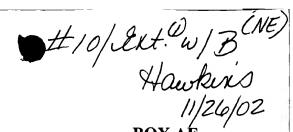
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In response to the Office Action mailed July 29, 2002 (Paper No. 8), the period for response being extended one month to November 29, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

#### *IN THE SPECIFICATION*:

Please rewrite the paragraph beginning on page 15, line 12, as follows:

Referring particularly to Fig. 3, a control unit for controlling the operation of the drive motor 21 is housed in the second housing 99 on the left (in Fig. 3), rear side from the drive shaft 21. The control unit has a second control board 136 mounted on the inner wall of the